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SUBJECT: PROPOSITION A CONTRACT - CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE

WORKERS' COMPENSATION CLAIMS THIRD-PARTY

ADMINISTRATOR (Board Agenda September 16, 2008, Item 17)

Item 17 on your Board's Agenda for Tuesday, September 16, 2008, is a request from the Chief Executive Office (CEO) to approve a Proposition A contract with Intercare Insurance Services to perform workers' compensation third-party claims administration services.

We have reviewed and approved the Proposition A cost analysis prepared by the CEO indicating the contract is cost-effective. The hourly wages to be paid by the contractor meet the County's Living Wage Ordinance requirements. The contract also includes Cost of Living Adjustment provisions that are consistent with Board policy.

Please call me if you have any questions, or your staff may contact Jim Schneiderman at (626) 293-1101.

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c: William T Fujioka, Chief Executive Officer Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer Public Information Office Audit Committee